



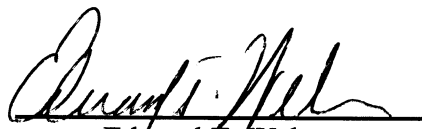
1 I, Edward T. Weber, hereby declare:

2 1. I am over the age of 18 years and not a party to this action. The following facts are true  
3 and correct as to my own personal knowledge and/or belief and if called to testify as a witness in  
4 Court, I could and would testify competently thereto. I am an attorney at law duly licensed to  
5 practice in all courts in the State of California and admitted to the United States District Court,  
6 Eastern District of California. I am attorney of record only for the Defendants as listed above.  
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8 2. Concurrently herewith, I am filing a Statement Regarding Ownership of Corporate  
9 Debtor/Party on the Court's Preferred Form, EDC 3-500 for Equity Trust Company. I am  
10 authorized to sign and file it on its behalf. Equity Trust Company is acting as Trustee for several  
11 self-settled IRS accounts on behalf of Robert Pastor, Charles A. Gurule, Jr., Robert C. Edwards,  
12 and Robert B. Pastor. Equity Trust Company is a privately owned corporation based in South  
13 Dakota and is only owned by individuals and no other corporate entity.  
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15 3. I am asking the Court to accept that filing as compliance with its Orders and to Discharge  
16 the OSC and not strike the Amended Answer filed by said Defendant.  
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18 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California and the United  
19 States of America that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed this 10<sup>th</sup> day of November,  
20 2023 at Tustin, California.  
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